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BEEF TRUST TO SELL EMBALMED BEEF AGAIN

Public Should Refuse to Buy the Vile Stuff If It Is Offered Them.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Embalmed beef will soon be on the market in every city in the land.

This unpleasant prospect is the result of a courtesy extended the packers by the United States Government. The courtesy was in the form of a ruling by the National Department of Agriculture, which is now going out to the Federal bureaus of animal industry in every section of the country.

Hereafter benzoate of soda—held by Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, head of the National Bureau of Chemistry and other leading chemists, to be harmful in its effects upon the human system—may be used in whatsoever quantities the packers chose in preserving meats and meat products. That is so far as national regulations are concerned.

The ruling is in line with the finding of the referee board which recently reversed the opinion of Dr. Wiley in other things. Despite the fact that the trend of national legislation and rulings had been against the use of benzoate, the board's finding was such as to result in the absolute letting down of the bars.

The circumstances attending the issuing of the new order are unusual if not remarkable. The order was issued on March 3 and placed in circulation March 4. It was signed by George B. Cortelyou, Oscar S. Straus and James Wilson, who at the time, as heads of the Treasury Department, Department of Commerce and Labor and Department of Agriculture, respectively, were designated in the pure food law to frame the regulations.

Of the three men, two were to retire from office the next day, and actually retired before the scope of their order became known. It is being pointed out now a sense of propriety might have suggested that the incoming administration should be left free to decide this important question. The American public does not know yet of the order that was promulgated, and every indication is that someone will come in for much criticism when the full meaning of the order is appreciated.

Not only does Dr. Wiley believe the Government is making a grave error in permitting the use of a preserver in meats, but many of the leading chemists of the country, including Prof. Charles H. Lawall, chemist for the Pennsylvania State dairy and food division.

The most important feature of the order in question is yet to be told. There is language in the order not justified by the referees' report. The report says that bensoate of soda in small quantities, specified as five-tenths of one grain per day, is not injurious to health.

The order of the three cabinet officers declares that no objection will be raised to the use of benzoate of soda, without placing any limitation upon the quantity, and provides only that the presence and quantity of the drug shall be shown upon the label.

Heretofore, the Government regulation was, in effect, that no meat or meat food should contain any substance which lessened its wholesomeness, nor any preservative except common salt, wood smoke, vinegar, pure sugar and saltpeter. The new regulation reads:

"The meat inspection regulations have been amended so as to permit the addition of benzoate of soda to meat or meat-food products which are placed in containers or packages to which are securely affixed officially approved labels plainly showing the produce and amount of this preservative."

Of the ruling in favor of the beef packers Prof. Lawall said:

"The Government should not allow the use of sodium benzoate in the preserving of meats. It is bad in principle. It is unfair to the public. The experiments conducted by the referee board were made upon healthy persons and did not clear away the doubts as to the dange' of using this preservative.

"According to their own report, when large quantities of sodium benzoate were administered, the board found slight modifications in certain physiological processes, the exact significance of which is not known: These experiments were on healthy persons. It is fair to assume, therefore, that if the bars are entirely taken down and benzoate of soda is used in all kinds of food, including meats, the deleterious effect will be marked.

"The process of using benzoic acid in preparing meat is an indication that we are going back 5,000 years, for benzoin or its products has not been used in the preservation of flesh since the Egyptians stopped embalming their dead."

Keep your eye on the want ads. There may be something advertised which is of interest to you.

Officer Burns to Death Under His Wrecked Auto

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., March 29.—Deputy Sheriff James R. Abrams was burned to death and George C. Barco was seriously injured when Mr. Barco's machine turned over near Boynton shortly after midnight last night, pinning Abrams, Barco and Richard Gardner under the machine.

The gasoline tank exploded scattering the burning fluid over the men. Gardner succeeded in extricating himself uninjured and helped Barco from under the machine, but Abrams was pinned under in such a manner that he could not be moved. The accident was caused by the steering gear becoming unmanageable.

A little want ad. will accomplish big results.

Aged Colored Man Dies.

"Uncle" Henry Jackson, one of the most widely-known colored residents of the city, died at his home on Sunday morning about 6 o'clock. The deceased had been confined to his bed for the past fifteen months or more, suffering from an attack of paralysis, and it was the third one of these that finally claimed the old man. He was a very conspicuous figure here with his pair of old mules, and all of the population remember the old man in his working days with his dray. His funeral was held yesterday from the M. E. colored church.

POSTMASTER DORSEY ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

DOCTOR SAYS HIS WOUNDS WILL PROVE FATAL.

Cut His Throat and Shot Himself in Stomach With 32-Calibre Pistol.

News received in this city last night from McIntosh was to the effect that Postmaster Dorsey, an aged and respected citizen of that place, had been foully murdered, first by being shot and then his throat cut from ear to ear.

Particulars at first were very meager and it was hard to ascertain any information, but through the kindness of the A. C. L. operator it was learned that Mr. Dorsey's wounds were self-inflicted with suicidal intent.

The old gentleman had doubtless tired of life and troubles and decided he could best end his suffering in this way. When found it was about 8 o'clock and he was in a pool of blood, and although yet alive would say nothing to the large number of people that congregated around him.

Later a letter was found which explained the circumstances and it was then known it was a clear case of suicide.

The physician summoned pronounced the wound of the bullet fatal. He said that while the cutting of his throat would not necessarily be fatal, the 32-pistol ball in his stomach would cause his death.

The aged wife is distracted over the occurrence.

JUDGE CARLISLE'S COURT

Was Busy Nearly All of Monday on Criminal Cases.

Business again loomed up in Justice Carlisle's court on Monday and as a result nearly all of the entire day was taken up in hearing cases.

John Herd plead guilty to receiving stolen brass and was bound over to the circuit court in the sum of $250.

Willis Herd plead guilty to stealing brass from railroad cars and was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and costs or serve three months with the gang.

Roy Jones plead not guilty and was tried by a jury, who decided otherwise. The judge gave him $10 and costs or four months.

The above cases were worked up by Special Agent Pinkoson, who is in the employ of the Coast Line. The boys had been stealing the brass boxings from the cars in the local yard for some time past.

WILL ADDRESS EDITORS.

Congressman Clark Will Address Association in Ancient City.

Congressman Frank Clark has gone to St. Augustine, where he will remain for the next few days before proceeding to other points to look after some business matters.

He accepted an invitation to deliver an address to the Press Association which will convene in that city today.

Congressman Clark is one of the most gifted orators of the State and his services are always in demand.

Election of Officers.

The Elks held an interesting session last Thursday night, when the following officers were elected to fill the various chairs during the next year:

Lee Graham, Exalted Ruler.

J. W. Blanding, Esteemed Leading Knight.

Capt. L. E. Barker, Esteemed Loyal Knight.

J. D. Gardner, Esteemed Lecturing Knight.

Dr. J. M. Dell, Secretary.

W. R. McKinstry, Treasurer.

L. M. McCormick, Tyler.

J. D. Stringfellow, Trustee.

CRAZY SNAKE WILL FIGHT TO THE LAST

Old Chief, With Twenty of His Band Slain, Signals For General Uprising Of Band.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 29.—Five companies of Oklahoma militia marched last night against Crazy Snake's band of Creek Indians, half breeds and negroes, entrenched in the Hickory Hills, seven miles from Henryetta.

A battle is regarded as inevitable, as the heavily armed troops set out either to capture or exterminate the murderous band, which since Thursday has caused the death of six men, the wounding of many others, and brought a condition of terror.

Leaving Henryetta at 3 o'clock with seven miles to go and encumbered with arms and equipment it was expected the troops could not reach the Indians before 7 o'clock.

Crazy Snake's men number about 200, all armed with modern rifles and plentifully supplied with ammunition. They had prepared for two months for this final stand against lawful authority. They sent out word yesterday that they would fight to the death.

Crazy Snake's band strongly intrenched itself early in the day and was reinforced from time to time.

Crazy Snake is in personal command. This was established by testimony choked out of his college-bred son by means of a nice, new inch rope. Young Harjo, strung up by the determined deputies until nearly dead, gasped out that his father was in command, named the Indians who killed the deputies, told the officers how to trail the band and did everything which a stoical red man is supposed not to do.

When the Fighting Began.

This first real Indian uprising of years has held this region on edge for three days. It broke out last Thursday when several deputy sheriffs went to Henryetta to arrest negro cattle thieves. They were fired upon by negro half-breed friends and forced to retreat. Returning with additional forces, they were fired on by the band, then augmented by some of Crazy Snake's Indians. Three negroes were killed and five wounded, according to the official reports, although it is thought that many more Indians were wounded. This clash resulted in forty-one arrests.

Marshal Edward Baum and Deputy Sheriff Herman Odom were the deputies killed.

A Stidman dispatch says an engagement between officers and Indians occurred near there yesterday morning, in which several Indians were wounded. Both the Indians and negroes, many of the latter allied with the Creeks, took their wounded into the hills, which made it impossible to learn definitely the casualties. The number of the dead since Thursday is placed unofficially at six.

The bodies of Marshal Baum and Herma Odom were taken to Eufaula. There was evidence that Crazy Snake and his family had left hurriedly in the night.

Young Indian Tells All.

After Chitti Harjo, Crazy Snake's son, struggling hard against yielding, whispered "Let down, tell—all—know," the noose was loosened and he gave a complete list of Indians who participated in the fight of the previous night and confessed that his father, instead of being in Washington, was at the head of the outlaw bands scattered among the hills of the former Creek nation.

"Those were your father's tracks in the yard this morning?" asked Deputy Jones.

"Those were his tracks," said the Indian, who then told that Charles Coker, reputed as a dangerous Indian outlaw, had fired the shots which killed Baum and Odom. His confession also revealed for the first time some of the real secrets of generalship over the Creeks.

"Coker is an expert shot," he said, "and was fully 300 yards distant when he made fine targets of the bodies of the officers. He is scouting now with the band and will be hard to catch."

The members of the band in Harjo's house last night, he confessed, belong to the Light Horse Guard. His admission sent the posses hurrying on the trail of the old Indian, whom they hope to capture quickly and thus ward off the impending battle.

Young Harjo is a stalwart, intelligent youth. He is an athlete and has played football with some of the Eastern Indian schools, but he retains all his native instincts.

With Crazy Snake's whereabouts almost definitely established, the officers prepared with the aid of the military to crush the Indians in the fight which it was believed was imminent.

Brutal Father Lures His Little Son to His Death

PITTSBURG, March 29.—After firing two bullets at his wife, pointing a revolver at his mother-in-law when she attempted to help her daughter, and trying vainly to get his little daughter out of a neighboring house that he might kill her, Harry Smith, aged 31 years, a motorman living at Coraopolis, near here, Saturday sent a bullet through the brain of his six-year-old son, Russell, killing the boy instantly, and then shot himself through the head, dying in a few moments. The cause of the tragedy is said to have been liquor and jealousy.

Smith, who has been married for thirteen years, came home from work Saturday afternoon and upbraided his wife about a domestic matter. Fearing trouble, the woman sent the two children to the home of a neighbor. During the argument which ensued Smith is said to have drawn a revolver and fired two shots at his wife who ran from the house. He then pointed the revolver at his mother-in-law, who tried to quiet him, but did not pull the trigger, and left the house, going to the home of the neighbor where the children had been sent.

He called to his girl to come to him, but the child did not respond. Hearing his father's voice, Russell came to the door and was shown a bag of peanuts, which Smith offered to give him. Unsuspectingly the boy ran to his father, but the latter, instead of giving the lad the peanuts, drew his revolver and fired a shot through the child's brain. Without pausing, the man turned the weapon upon himself and sent a bullet into a temple, falling beside the body of his murdered son and dying instantly.

MARSHAL ARNOW IS AFTER GAMBLERS

ROUNDS UP BUNCH NEAR SEABOARD ON SUNDAY EVENING.

City Funds Largely Increased at Monday's Session of City Court.

Many Cases Heard.

For the first time in several months Monday's sesion of Mayor's court was lively and interesting, and as a result the treasury of the city has been increased to the extent of several dollars.

Otha Sapp, a big negro who does more or less of the "scratching" with the bones, was let off with a fine of $6.75 and costs.

John Bishop and Phillip Williams, two more of his pals, who plead guilty to the charge of gambling, were assessed a like amount.

Willie Bell, the fourth member of the party, failed to appear to the call of his name and forfeited his cash bond of $10.

Major Parrish, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited a cash bond of $5—he had been up before.

Tom Harris, who was engaged with Parrish in the difficulty, also forfeited his five plunks placed in the hands of the marshal as security.

William Shields was arrested for a plain drunk, and he separated with the V he had deposited for his security.

Delicious Gingerbread.

Children are great lovers of gingerbread, and grown folks, too, if it is of the rich "melt-in-the-mouth" kind. The following recipe by the famous Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln, is commended to those who delight in this delicacy:

Mix two cups flour, one-half level teaspoon salt, one level teaspoon soda, one level tablespoon ginger; stir in one cup molasses, two tablespoons softened Cottolene and one-half cup boiling water. Bake in shallow pan. If for dessert, bake in layers. Fill with whipped cream, flavored with lemon.

The little ones can eat this freely. Lard is indigestible, but Cottolene, the perfect shortening, makes food that agrees with the most delicate stomachs.

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PASSENGER ENGINE BADLY DEMOLISHED

ACCIDENT ON SEABOARD MONDAY MORNING WEST OF CITY.

String of Box Cars Got Loose in Yards and Had Run to Millard's Station.

A trainload of box cars were cut loose in the Seaboard yards Monday morning, getting the start of the train crew, and before they could be stopped they had run a distance of about two miles and smashed into the passenger engine on the Jax-Cedar Key run.

Fortunately no one was seriously injured in the mishap, but many of the passengers were badly shaken up and some thrown from their seats by the collision, the engineer and fireman making a successful jump just before the crash came.

As near as could be learned the cars were cut loose from the freight train in the yards and before they were noticed by any of the train crew they had gained such rapid headway that it was impossible to catch them, notwithstanding the freight engine put out after them just as soon as it was realized what had happened.

It was nearing the regular time for the Jacksonville-Cedar Key passenger to come, and the collision was anticipated. The road being almost a straight line, the passenger engineer could see the long line of cars coming toward him, and although he had slowed up his train and alighted he had not stopped it sufficiently to save a hard crash when the two came together.

The line of cars had reached a great velocity of speed by the time they had reached this distance, and it would have been a difficult matter for the engine to have caught and picked them up, for the road bed is down grade from the city to a point beyond where the accident occurred.

The engine of the passenger train was badly demolished, as well as a number of the box cars.

The March of the Caravan.

Perhaps the weirdest and most impressive of the many unwonted memories that the traveler carries away with him from travel in the east is the recollection of the camel caravans which he has encountered at night. Out of the black darkness is heard the distant boom of a heavy bell. Mournfully and with perfect regularity of iteration it sounds, gradually swelling nearer and louder and perhaps mingling with the tones of smaller bells signaling the rear guard of the same caravan. The big bell is the insignia and alarm of the leading camel alone. But, nearer and louder as the sound becomes, not another sound and not a visible object appears to accompany it. Suddenly and without the slightest warning there looms out of the darkness, like the apparition of a phantom ship, the form of the captain of the caravan. His spongy tread sounds softly on the smooth sand, and like a great string of linked ghouls the silent procession stalks by and is swallowed up in the night.—"Persia and the Persian Question."

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The Contest Is Exceedingly Close and Exciting—Catherine Hale Had Good Vote Yesterday.

Following is the vote in the piano contest as canvassed yesterday:

Miss Bessie Dupree, city	1,624,105
Miss Dorian Ellis, city	1,619,905
Miss Catherine Haile, city	1,241,260
Miss Florrie Strickland	641,990
Miss M. Daughtrey, city	242,535
Miss Mary McCormick, city	86,505
Miss Alma Fennell, city	84,375
Miss Nannie Dickinson, city	77,310
Miss Mabel Sanchez, city	66,755
Miss Julia Carter, city	60,815
Miss A. Groff, Newberry	39,060
Miss Estelle Beal, city	33,275
Miss Jessie Evans, city	31,900
Miss A. Strickland, Waldo	31,860
Miss Emma Hudson, city	26,355
Miss Annie Beville	22,165
Miss Elvena Staf, Waldo	16,990
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs	15,375
Miss Goldie Lambert, city	6,320
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell	6,005
Miss K. Carlton, Micanopy	5,590
Mrs. A. W. Sargent	4,430
Miss M. Fernandez, city	4,265
Miss Mary Thigpin, city	3,850
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn	3,650
Miss Ruby Albright	3,100

Wormology.

Should be studied by every parent. If your child is nervous, fretful, starts in it's sleep, is pasty faced, has rings under its eyes, always seems hungry, is not gaining weight, you can be sure the trouble is worms. White's Cream Vermifuge is an absolute cure for worms. Is it's own purgative. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Death of Percy Dill.

Information was received in the city Monday of the death of Mr. Percy Dill of Archer from fever, having been a patient sufferer for the past several weeks. He was a young man with a bright future cut short by the grim reaper of death and The Sun joins the hosts of friends in extending condolence to the bereaved ones.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Nearly Every One in Albion, Mich., Praises Mi-o-na, the Money-Back Cure for Indigestion.

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MONARCH?

CIRCUIT COURT MET AGAIN YESTERDAY

ONLY ONE CASE WAS DISPOSED OF DURING THE DAY.

Negro Plead Guilty of Assault With Intent to Rape—Bexley-Osteen Murder Case Today.

Circuit court reconvened Monday morning at 9 o'clock pursuant to adjournment of Friday evening. Judge Wills, Sheriff Ramsey and Solicitor Rivers were in their respective places, but there was only a small number of spectators present at the opening of the court.

The following was the petit jury drawn for the week: J. H. Johnson, T. M. Griffin, J. W. Alsop, S. F. Hardee, J. K. Tuten, E. A. Strunk, S. E. Bauknight, T. G. Hagan, W. C. Kincaid, W. P. Moseley, H. Martin, A. W. Craig. The sheriff reported that S. F. Hardee and H. Martin were not to be found in the county, and the court excused Messrs. Strunk, Craig and Hagan.

A special venire of six was ordered summoned to complete the jury, the sheriff making return of same as follows: W. D. Fagan, W. L. Gore, D. A. Robertson, E. Baird, C. A. W. Thomas, M. S. Phifer.

The State announced ready in the case of Charlie Trapp, charged with murder. Judge Carter, of counsel for defense, asked for a continuance on account of the sickness of a material witness, an attachment for whom had been sued out. The judge postponed action on the matter pending proper return of the attachment by a regularly appointed deputy sheriff, only a verbal return of non-service on account of sickness having been made by Mr. Sheffield, who was not a regularly sworn deputy.

Robert Scott, colored, charged with rape upon a little colored girl at Alachua, withdrew his plea of not guilty and plead guilty to assault with intent to commit rape.

Court then took a recess until 2 p. m.

Afternoon Session.

The afternoon session of court was void of interest. Court was adjourned a few minutes after being called to order until 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, for which hour the case of the State vs. Truby Osteen and W. A. Bexley, charged with the murder of W. H. Moreland at High Springs, is set.

HIGH SPRINGS NEWS.

HIGH SPRINGS, March 29.—The death of Mr. M. A. Starr, a conductor on the A. C. L. railway, which occurred in Waycross Friday from the effects of typhoid, is a source of sorrow to his many friends here. He has been a resident of High Springs for a few years, and leaves a wife to mourn his loss. Her bereavement is the greater in that she lost a brother, who lived with her, under similar circumstances about two months ago.

Mrs. L. E. Bailey, National Lecturer of the W. C. T. U., visited High Springs last week, giving two lectures on Thursday and Friday nights, and a talk to the local union Friday afternoon. Thirteen new members enrolled their names for the temperance cause as a result of her efforts.

Rev. J. L. Yeates returned to his home here Saturday from Kathleen, where he experienced the storm of Wednesday night. He had been much affected by the death and scenes of destruction caused by the storm.

H. C. Cato is still suffering from the effects of his fall from a moving train over a week ago. At first his injuries were thought to be only bruises and a sprained shoulder, but he is now suffering from internal contusions.

Mrs. Cora Pedrick returned Saturday from a very pleasant visit of a few weeks to Orlando.

Mrs. Henis Peterman also returned Saturday from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Webb, at Dunnellon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Anderson have returned to High Springs and will make their home here.

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Notice of Receiving Bids for Paving.

Notice is hereby given that on April the 8th, 1909, sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Works of the City of Gainesville, Florida, for the furnishing of the material and laying of paving, to be constructed of vitrified brick, along the block on East Main street lying between Liberty street and the north side of Mechanic street. Also for the furnishing of material and laying of two hundred and thirteen (213) lineal feet of granite curbing, and the laying and constructing of five hundred and thirty (530) feet of granolithic curbing along said block.

Specifications and details will be furnished upon application.

At Gainesville, Florida, March 22nd, 1909. W. W. HAMPTON,
Secretary of Board of Public Works.

For HEADACHE—Hicks' CAPUDINE.

Whether from colds, heat, stomach or nervous troubles, Capudine will relive you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it. 10c, 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

The want ads. do more real estate business than all other brokers combined—in fact, they "start" most of the business that the brokers and agents finish.

Soothes itching skin. Heals cuts or burns without a scar. Cures piles, eszema, salt rheum, any itching. Doan's Ointment. Your druggist sells it.

NEGRO IS BRUTALLY KILLED AT ALACHUA

MURDERED IN DOOR OF OWN HOME SUNDAY NIGHT.

Particulars Very Meagre and No Clue Has Been Discovered As to the Perpetrators.

Another mysterious shooting is reported from the quiet little city of Alachua, and up to late Monday evening there was no clue that led to the perpetrators of the crime.

Romeo Shannon, the negro who was murdered, was standing in the door of his own home at the time the fatal shots were fired from a shotgun in the hands of unknown parties. His wife and smaller children were at home at the time.

Shortly after the shooting, which occurred about 7 o'clock on Sunday evening, his older boys returned home to find the father murdered, and they went to Alachua and gave the first news of the affair.

The justice there at once impaneled a jury to view the remains. They were in session a greater part of Monday, but nothing had been brought out that would give any idea of the perpetrators of the crime.

The negro resided in a good section and was living close to the home of J. M. Shaw at the time. He bore a good reputation and was generally liked by all classes of citizens, who deplore the killing, for this is the second offense like this that has occurred there within a short time.

Shannon had gone to his door to answer a summons, and when he opened it he was filled with the load of shot, expiring a short while afterwards.

UNIVERSITY NOTES

The student road survey between this city and Ocala was completed as far as Orange Lake, in Marion county, over a month ago, but is held up at present due to lack of necessary funds. It is hoped that financial aid can be secured from the county commissioners in return for the very complete road maps which are being prepared.

The Transit Club recently organized by the civil engineering students is a very profitable and enjoyable institution. It meets fortnightly in the civil engineering rooms, and a technical paper is prepared and read at each meeting by some one of the members. The initiatory ceremonies are quite elaborate, as may be recalled by those who saw the parade of the candidates around the square some two weeks ago. The club was recently pleasantly entertained by Capt. and Mrs. Cox at their residence on South Arredondo street, the feature of the evening being glimpses of the full moon through the large astronomical telescope and the exhibition of childhood pictures of the various members of the club and their lady friends thrown life-size on the wall by a large projectiscope.

The spring field work of the department is to be largely in railroad engineering lines; and we expect to take Friday and Saturday of next week for running a practice preliminary railroad survey between the Devil's Mill Hopper and Warren's Cave, in the northwestern part of the county. During the past week a practice preliminary line was run for a spur track from the Seaboard railway to the University grounds and an excellent line obtained, so far as grade and alignment are concerned. The head of the department has had seven years' connection with railways of this State prior to taking up school work and is able to give the students a large amount of practical information.

An Early Riser.

"Are you an early riser, Pat?"

"Am I? Sure, I'm sich an early riser, sor, that I'm afeared some time I'll ketch mesilf gittin' up when I'm goin' to bed!"—Yonkers Statesman.

A Family Medicine Without Alcohol

A Strong Tonic - Without Alcohol | A Great Alterative - Without Alcohol
A Blood Purifier - Without Alcohol | A Family Medicine - Without Alcohol

Ask your doctor if he thinks it would be best for you to take a medicine with alcohol in it. Like Ayer's Sarsaparilla, is not vastly better without alcohol? Then why not use it. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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We own thousands of miles of long distance lines in the seven States in which we operate and in addition can connect any telephone in our system with lines extending to any other city in which a Bell Telephone system is operated.

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Policy is not much resorted to these enlightened days as regards insurance against fire loss. The best business men are the most careful about their insurance. Follow their example for home or store and get premium rates on your property from us today.

A. M. CUSHMAN, Agent, Gainesville, Florida

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

The Sanford Loan and Building Association is doing a great work for the advancement of Sanford.

A turnip weighing seventeen pounds is on exhibition at a store in Starke. The monster turnip is attracting much attention.

Tallahassee and St. Augustine want the bones of Osceola and are making strenuous efforts to become burying grounds for same.

Fifty-three fine horses from the Cook stables in Jacksonville were shot Saturday morning to prevent the spread of glanders.

A severe wind and rain storm swept over Tampa last Friday, causing several boats to capsize and resulting in the drowning of two persons. The wind reached a velocity of fifty miles an hour.

Vegetable growers in McIntosn section are getting better looking every day. And why shouldn't they? Getting $2 net for lettuce and $1.50 to $1.60 for cabbage f. o. b., with five solid cars of lettuce and three of cabbage leaving there Saturday, besides the express goods.

A young man in the employ of the Overstreet Crate Co. at Lakeland was discharged a few days ago. Before leaving the boarding-house he borrowed a suit case without asking permission, then filled it with clothes, money and a diamond-set watch, all belonging to other boarders, after which he left for parts unknown.

Mrs. C. Sterzbauch, one of the teachers recently dismissed by the county superintendent at Tampa owing to lack of school funds, has filed suit against the county school board to secure the amount of salary which would be due her to the end of the eight months school term for which she claims to have a contract. This is the second one of the dismissed teachers in that county to go into courts with a similar case, and others are said to be following.

If it's printed stationery you want. The Sun office is the place to get it.

Furniture for Every Room in the House Prices and Terms to Suit

Gainesville Furniture Co.
Gainesville, Florida.

AFTER THE GRIPPE
Vinol Restored This Man's Strength

"Several years ago I was attacked by a severe case of grippe, which left me with a hacking cough, soreness in my chest, and bronchitis. I took nearly every kind of cough syrup sold on the market, besides medicine given me by physicians.

I received no permanent relief until my druggist asked me to try Vinol, and after taking three bottles I was entirely cured.

I believe Vinol to be the greatest blessing ever offered to the public, as it does what is claimed for it." R. E. R. Hicks, Maplesville, Ala.

The reason Vinol cures chronic coughs, colds and pulmonary troubles is because it contains tonic iron and all the healing and body building elements of cod liver oil but no oil.

Vinol is also unexcelled as a strength builder for old people, delicate children, weak and run-down persons, and after sickness.

VINOL is sold in Gainesville by W. M. Johnson, Druggist.

RAILROAD MEN PAY VISIT TO OUR CITY

LEADING DIRECTORS OF COAST LINE HERE ON BUSINESS.

Arrived on Special Train and Spent Day Here Conferring With Dutton Phosphate Co.

Gainesville was honored on Monday with a visit from some of the distinguished men composing the A. C. L. railway system, who spent the greater part of the day here.

H. Waters, chairman of the board of directors of the A. C. L. and also the Elevated Railway of New York City, Mikel Jenkins and Warren Delano, directors and large stockholders from Baltimore, and Capt. N. G. Wade of Jacksonville were among the party.

They arrived in the morning over the A. C. L. with a special train and their private car and were soon closeted with the Dutton Phosphate Company, where they remained all day.

It is understood that their visit was in the interest of this concern, and the meeting was held for the purpose of electing a president to fill the vacancy caused by the death of C. W. Chase, but nothing was given out confirming the rumor.

They departed at 4 p. m. and will go at once to New York City.

DON'T BE MISLED.

The retail druggists of this country, as a class, are noted for their high standard of intelligence and honorable dealing, but it is a well-known fact that occasionally you will find one who will try to sell you something else when you call for a remedy of established reputation. He forgets that your health is more important than his pocketbook.

For example, when you ask for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, don't let any druggist, drug clerk or storekeeper persuade you into buying something else in its place. Every time he succeeds in selling you a worthless substitute he makes more profit, but you are humbugged at the expense of your health.

For many years we have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. From the very beginning, the proprietors had so much confidence in it that they invited everyone to send for a free sample bottle so that people could judge of its great curative value in even the most distressing cases of kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

On another page of this paper you will find a few of the letters, prompted by feelings of heartfelt gratitude, that are constantly coming to Dr. Kilmer & Company. No one can doubt such sincere and honest testimony.

Swamp-Root is prepared only by Dr. Kilmer & Co. Laboratories, Binghamton, N. Y.—Don't experiment—If you need a medicine you should have the best.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulets relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they have been regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulpaur Springs, Tex.

If you have found anything see it is advertised in the Want column.

NEGRO SHOWED NERVE IN MANNER OF DEATH

HAD CONFESSED THAT HE MURDERED HOTEL CLERK.

Twisted Handkerchief Around His Neck and Tightened With Pencil Till He Died.

NEW YORK, March 29.—James Vango, a young negro, after his arrest in Chicago, confessed that he had murdered Isadore DeVallant, night clerk in the Eastern Hotel here, for the purpose of robbery, strangled himself in his cell in the Tombs prison early yesterday.

Vango used a method to encompass his death which required almost Spartan courage. He twisted a handkerchief around his neck and after tieing it securely, tightened it with a small piece of lead pencil, which he used as a tourniquet until it closed his windpipe. He then threw himself on the cot, placed his hands under his abdomen, buried his face in the pillow and waited for death.

With the same pencil he had previously written two notes of farewell, one to his wife and the other to Detective James Murphy, who captured him in Chicago.

To his wife he wrote this brief line:

"Dear Wife—Death is but eternal sleep; why should I stay and suffer? Forgive me. JIM."

His note to Detective Murphy was a practical admission of the crime of wnich he was charged.

DeVallant was murdered early in the morning of March 15. The hotel till had been rifled, DeVallant's watch and money were gone and the safe had been tampered with. Vango, who had been a porter in the hotel, disappeared about the time of the crime and was suspected. Detective Murphy found him in Chicago. Vango confessed that he had planned the murder, but said that the killing was done by two accomplices.

Immediate Results.

Mrs. Hinnesy—Jamie, phwat's thot noise? James—'Tis little Paddy Mulligan pokin' a shtick into th' ribs o' Casey's goat. Mrs. Hinnesy—Ah, he's shtopped now! James—No, mother; he's goin' yet. I think he won't shtop till he strikes th' house.—Exchange.

A Little Slow.

"How's collections at your church, Brudder Shinn?"

"Well, we ain't nebber had to stop in de middle ob a collection to go an' empty de box."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK.

Was Perfectly Bald When He Started to Use Newbro's Herpicide.

Frederick Manuell, Maryland block, Butte, Montana, bought a bottle of Newbro's Herpicide, April 6, '09, and began to use it for entire baldness. The hair follicles in his scalp were not dead and in 20 days he had hair all over his head. On July 2 he writes, "and today my hair is as thick and luxuriant as any one could wish." Newbro's Herpicide works on an old principle and with a new discovery—destroy the cause and you remove the effect. Herpicide destroys the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, so that with the cause gone the effect cannot remain. Stops falling hair at once and a new growth starts. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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S.S.S. CURES SKIN DISEASES

The cause of all skin diseases can be traced to some humor or acid in the blood; the cuticle is always healthy where the circulation is free from impurities. When the blood is infected with acrid or unhealthy matter it cannot perform its natural work of nourishing the skin, regulating its temperature and preserving its normal softness, pliability and healthfulness. Instead it irritates and inflames the delicate fibres and tissues around the pores and glands and produces some of the many forms of skin disease. The itching and stinging so often accompanying skin affections are produced by the deposit from the blood of the acrid humors with which it is filled, into the sensitive membranous flesh lying just beneath the outer covering and surrounding the countless nerves, pores and glands. This explains why scratching the outer skin affords no relief from the itching and burning. S. S. S. cures Skin Diseases of every character by purifying the blood. It goes down into the circulation and removes the humors or acids which are causing the trouble, builds up the weak, acrid blood, and permanently cures every variety of skin affection. Local applications can only soothe; they never cure because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes right into the circulation, reaches the trouble and cures it by removing the cause. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice free to all who write.

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The electric chair ought to be a good cure for kidnapping.

It is still true as sunshine that no strike has been a particle of help to the strikers.

The Weather Bureau is destined to go down in history as the greatest fizzle of the age.

And what's still worse, there's no prospect of a revision of the cost of living downward.

Let the married men take heart. A Georgia woman of intellect has discovered that "husbands are human beings."

And there stands the Senate, too, you know. A long, dark, rough, and rugged way stretched ahead of us, brethren.

Any girl who has a waste basket in a fair state of preservation can have a new hat without much cost. A few flowers and ribbons will do the rest.

The wet and dry election in Columbia county is waxing warm, the temperance people becoming greatly alarmed lest the sale of whiskey should again be licensed in that county.

All the people of Florida rejoice at the restoration to perfect health of Hon. Frank Clark. There is not a man in the State more highly esteemed and beloved by his people, and it is fortunate for them that such a man has been delegated to look after their interests from the second Congressional district.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says: "Before the present Congress was a week old a Texas representative had introduced 128 bills, covering the greater part of the known fields of human activity and nearly everything a Congress might dare or do. Next thing we know The Outlook may be suing him for infringement of copyright."

The Florida State Fair and Live Stock Association held the first of the series of its horse races at Jacksonville last Saturday under most favorable circumstances. The attendance was large, the races were on the level, and the opening day greatly enjoyed by everybody. The track is located at Moncrief Park and is exceptionally good for the time in which the promoters have had to prepare it. It will in time be one of the fastest tracks in the country and a popular resort for breeders and owners of thoroughbred horses.

It seems that some people have taken exception to what The Sun said in its issue of last Saturday regarding the appearance of Mrs. R. H. Owen while on the witness stand during the trial of her husband for murder. Far be it from the intention of the writer to degrade this poor, helpless woman in the eyes of the people. His heart went out in sympathy for both her and her little babe, and he could well see from their actions that neither the woman or her husband realized the grave situation they were in.

MR. CARNEGIE AGAIN ABOLISHES WAR.

In spite of its frequent repetition, the announcement that Andrew Carnegie has again abolished war is always a matter of legitimate interest. It indicates at least that he is still in good health and spirits, with as much of his youthful enthusiasm as ever, and his native gift of the gab still unimpaired.

Mr. Carnegie's latest edict against war was issued at a meeting of the New York Peace Society, of which he is chairman. "Be of good cheer," he exclaimed. "There are those present who will live to see war discarded by civilized nations. All goes well. Men are soon to beat their swords into ploughshares and their spears into pruning hooks.'

It is a pity Mr. Carnegie could not have let it go at that. If the case was as he understood it no further statement was necessary. Considerable significance therefore attaches to his added remark: "Never in the history of the world have the leading powers been engaged to such an extent in hastening the construction of engines of destruction (battleships) as at present."

Thus, as Montaigne says, by divers ways do we arrive at the same end. Can it be that Mr. Carnegie regards the rapid increase of battleship construction as an added assurance of the world's peace? If so, he is in perfect accord with the militant party in Germany, to say nothing of naval expansionists nearer home. Their attitude is based on the Scriptural proposition that "when the strong man armed keepeth his house his goods are in peace."

If a man insists upon talking all the time it is mathematically certain that he will sometimes talk nonsense.

THE CRISIS SAFELY PASSED.

France is to be congratulated on its narrow escape from revolution and bloodshed. The strike of its government postal and telegraph employees was a most serious matter, and it shows that governments are no more exempt than private firms from labor troubles. To be sure strikes are less frequent in government establishments, but when they do occur they are likely to be more formidable because of the greatness of the interests affected.

The recent strike in Paris and other large centers must have caused immense losses to business, for the non-delivery of millions of letters and hundreds of thousands of telegrams paralized communication between one point and another. The government seems to have shown a wise and firm moderation and its hands were assuredly strengthened by the vote of confidence given it by Parliament.

That the government has safely passed through so great a crisis is evidence of the growing stability of the French people. The Republic has now lasted for 39 years, a much longer period than any previous government in a hundred years. The well nigh kaleidoscopic frequency with which revolutions and changes of government used to take place before the inauguration of the present republic made France somewhat of a laughing stock. Happily for that nation and the world those experiences are ended.

A year ago an ardent Missouri pastor of Democratic persuasion prayed for tariff revision, but with an increased duty on zinc, nevertheless. The pious petition has been granted in the tariff bill introduced in the House, but whether this Missourian should thank the Lord or Sereno Payne for the same, we leave it to him to determine.

The African elephant walks around as the band begins to play.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Representative Champ Clark, the minority leader, has made his long-looked-for speech on the Payne tariff bill and some parts of his arraignment made the Republicans squirm. He pointed out that except for a few commodities which have been put on the free list the rates were one and a half per cent higher in the Payne bill than in the Dingley bill. He urged that the tax on tea be removed, asserting that it was a tax on "the poor man's breakfast table" and one which many could ill afford to pay, while there had been no increase whatever of the tax on beer which could easily stand an additional 50 cents a barrel, which was a luxury which no man needed and many were better off without. He showed the subterfuge by which the Standard Oil Company is protected, petroleum being placed on the free list, but a differential provided for in the case of any other country placing an export tax on oil, which results in saving the Standard Company from all competition. His speech was vigorously applauded by the Democrats but the Republicans looked very much unhappy as he proceeded.

Sulphate of ammonia and sulphuric acid have been placed on the free list in the Payne tariff bill now pending in Congress. This means a great deal to Florida, which uses more fertilizer per capita than any State in the Union. At the present time sulphate of ammonia has to pay a ten per cent tariff, and while we use more ammonia from nitrate of soda and other sources, yet a cut of ten per cent in the price of sulphate of ammonia would make the nitrate of soda syndicate cut their price to meet that of the sulphate of ammonia. This cut in price would not affect the price of cotton seed meal, as the latter is used so largely as a feed. All Florida is interested in getting cheaper fertilizers, and our members of Congress should exert every effort to keep sulphate of ammonia and sulphuric acid on the free list in the Payne bill, for the fertilizer trust will do their utmost to strike it out.

Race Suicide

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	Ar. Corbin, L. & N.	2.40 p. m.
	Ar. Richmond, L. & N.	5.02 p. m.
	Ar. Paris, L. & N.	6.15 p. m.
	Ar. Lexington, L. & N.	7.00 p. m.
	Ar. Cincinnati, L. & N.	8.35 p. m.
	Ar. Lebanon, L. & N.	6.20 p. m.
	Ar. Louisville, L. & N.	8.15 p. m.
	Lv. Louisville, P. R. R.	9.15 p. m.
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LUMBER AND HIDES BONES OF CONTENTION

ON HIDES CONTEST IS BETWEEN EAST AND WEST.

Rumored That Senate Will Increase Dingley Rates With Reductions to Favored Nations.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The fate of lumber and hides in the proposed new tariff law probably will not be decided until the conference reports on the bill have been approved by both the Senate and House. The clashes on these schedules have occurred largely between the representatives of the East and West, and there is a prospect of the differences becoming so sharp the the Democrats from the Southern States may determine the outcome.

The supporters of protection on hides express hope of inducing the Senate committee to recommend the continuance of the Dingley rates. The Western Senators on the committee have proved strong advocates of the restoration of the duty, while Senator Lodge is said to stand almost alone in his campaign for free hides.

Champions of the movement to take the duty off lumber entirely are not so sanguine of success as the advocates of free hides, so far as their contest in the committee is concerned. Senator McCumber, in accordance with the instructions of the Legislature of North Dakota, is prepared to carry the fight to the floor of the Senate.

Regardless of the vote of the committee, the advocates of free lumber and free hides have been promised separate votes on these questions in the Senate.

There is a well-defined rumor in the Senate that the committee on finance will upset the principle declared in the Payne bill of making the established rate the minimum, with a 20 per cent retaliatory increase to countries which fail to give their best rate to the United States. If it should be decided to reverse this proposition so as to make the established rate the maximum and give the most friendly nations a favored rate of 20 per cent less, it is asserted that the rates in the Payne bill would have to be raised all along the line on the theory that all great nations would take action so as to be given the lower rates.

During the consideration of the bill thus far all of the rates, which depend upon exising treaties have been laid aside to be considered when the maximum features are taken up.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4808, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that E B Godwin, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 338, dated the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1903, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Nw¼ of Nw¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 7, S. R. [illegible] acres.

The said land being assessed at the time of the issuance of such certificate in the name of E. S. Ellsworth.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1909

Witness my official signature and seal this the 15th day of March, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4808, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that O. F. Niblack, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 60, dated the 6th day of August, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

W½ of Nw¼ Sec. 10. Tp. 8, S R. 16.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of H. C. Carter.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
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Lovers

Of good health should prevent sickness instead of letting themselves get sick and then try to cure it. So long as you keep your liver, bowels and stomach in a healthy and active condition you won't get sick. Ballard's Herbine relieves constipation, inactive liver and all stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

It is to Smile.

In walking through a train a smile always relieves the tension of the moment, even if it is the train of your hostess' best dinner gown.

A smile is frequently used to conceal a vacuum. If it is a broad smile, however, it defeats its purpose.

If your newly married friends insist upon your holding the baby, grab the infant firmly by the back of the neck and smile. The parents will remove the child at once.

If your dinner partner is talking over your head, smile. He will probably grow uncomfortable immediately and change the subject.

If your rival appears to be cutting you out with the only girl, smile. This will rouse her suspicions at once, and she will devote the rest of her time trying to find out who "that girl" is.

A smile is a handy thing to have round, even when it is as broad as it is long. It may square a long standing grievance.—Puck.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Modest Dan Hayes.

An old playbill of the Kilkenny Theater Royal for May 14, 1793, was a few years ago reprinted in the Western (England) Mail, and the following is an extract from it:

"The tragedy of 'Hamlet,' originally written and composed by the celebrated Dan Hayes of Limerick and inserted in Shakespeare's works."

The playbill concludes with the interesting notice that "no person whatsoever will be admitted into the boxes without shoes or stockings." It is probable that this Irish claimant to the honor of the authorship of "Hamlet" is not so well known as his astounding claim might warrant.

Pretty Thin.

"My dear," said a thin little Brighton man to his wife, "this paper says that there is a woman down in Devonshire who goes out and chops wood with her husband."

"Well, what of it? I think she could easily do it if he is as thin as you are. I have often thought of using you to peel potatoes with."

The thin man laid down his paper with a sigh that sounded like the squeak of a penny whistle.—London Answers.

A Swollen Jaw

Is not pretty nor pleasant. Whether it's caused by neuralgia, toothache or accident, Ballard's Snow Liniment will reduce the swelling and relieve the pain. The great and sure cure for rheumatism, cuts, burns, bruises, scalds—any and all aches and pains. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 8

The Cellar Hole and the Sewer Hole

By Herbert Kaufman.

A coal cart stopped before an office building in Washington and the driver dismounted, removed the cover from a manhole, ran out his chute, and proceeded to empty the load. An old negro strolled over and stood watching him. Suddenly the black man glanced down and immediately burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter, which continued for several minutes. The cart driver looked at him in amusement. "Say, Uncle," he asked, "do you always laugh when you see coal going into a cellar?" The negro sputtered around for a few moments and then holding his hands to his aching sides managed to say, "*No, sah, but I jest busts when I sees it goin' down a sewer.*"

The advertiser who displays lack of judgment in selecting the newspapers which carry his copy often confuses the *sewer* and the *cellar*.

All the money that is put *into* newspapers isn't taken *out* again by any means. The fact that all papers possess a certain physical likeness doesn't by any means signify a similarity in character, and it's *character* in a newspaper that brings returns. The editor who conducts a journalistic sewer finds a *different* class of readers than the publisher who respects himself enough to respect his readers.

What goes into a newspaper largely determines the class of homes into which the newspaper goes. An irresponsible, scandal-mongering, muck-raking sheet is logically not supported by the buying classes of people. It *may be* perused by thousands of readers, but such readers are seldom purchasers of advertised goods.

It's the clean-cut, steady, normal-minded citizens who form the bone and sinew and muscle of the community. It's the sane, self-respecting, *dependable* newspaper that enters their homes and it's the *home* sale that indicates the strength of an advertising medium.

No clean-minded father of a family wishes to have his wife and children brought in contact with the most maudlin and banal phases of life. He defends them from the sensational editor and the unpleasant advertiser. He subscribes to *a newspaper which he does not fear to leave about the house.*

Therefore, the respectable newspaper can always be counted upon to produce more sales than one which may even own a larger *circulation* but whose distribution is in ten editions among unprofitable citizens.

You can no more expect to sell goods to people who *haven't money* than you can hope *to pluck oysters from bushes.*

It isn't the number of readers *reached* but the number of readers whose *purses* can be reached that constitutes the value of circulation. It's one thing to arouse *their attention*, but it's a far different thing to get *their money. The mind may be willing, but the pocketbook is weak.*

If you had the choice of a thousand acres of desert land or a hundred acres of oasis, you'd select the fertile spot, realizing that the larger tract had less value because it would be less productive.

Just so the advertiser who really understands how he is spending his money does not measure by bulk alone. *He counts productivity first.* He takes care that he is not putting his money into a *sewer.*

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"That Which Is Worth Having Is Worth Advertising For"

The old adage that what is worth having is worth asking for is still true—true of the more intricate life of today.

The thing you want—whether it is a used piano or a home, whether it is a ready-made business or a lost pocketbook—is obtained readily through advertising, and with difficulty, or not at all, through other means.

MELON APHIS AND OTHER PLANT LICE

By E. W. BERGER

Florida Agricultural Experiment Station

The common cotton or melon aphis (Aphis gossypii), plantlouse, or green fly, has been reported as feeding upon more than thirty different species of plants. All but two or three of this number either grow wild or are cultivated in Florida. The following list of food plants contains those most commonly found: melons, cucumbers (and other plants of the same family), cotton, okra, mallows, citrus, bush bean, pear, clover, strawberry, careless weed, wormseed, morning glory, spinach, begonia and Jamestown weed.

Insecticides Recommended.

A good grade of tobacco dust applied dry by hand or by a powder bellows or blower, while the plants are moist with dew or rain, or applied as a decoction in water, is regarded by many in Florida as the best direct remedy for all kinds of aphids. When applied by hand the dust should be thrown so that it will strike forcibly the parts of the plants where the aphids live. In the case of cucumbers and similar crops it is quite important and yet difficult to get much of the dust to lodge on the under side of the leaves, yet after some practice this can be accomplished in a measure by giving the dust a strong throw sideways. Tobacco decoction is made by boiling one pound of tobacco leaves, stems or dust in three gallons of water. It can be used stronger if necessary. The liquid extracts of tobacco on the market are also useful against plantlice and other softbodied insects. When used dry, the finer the dust the more efficient it will be: it will adhere better when fine, and is more likely to lodge in the breathing pores and other vulnerable parts of the insect than a coarse dust. One should purchase a good grade of tobacco dust, preferably some standard brand. Cheap tobacco dust is likely to be useless, having been leached or adulterated.

Kerosene emulsion is regarded by some as the standard remedy for plant lice. Dissolve ½lb. of soap in a gallon of water, and when boiling hot add two gallons of kerosene (away from the fire), and stir or otherwise agitate violently for ten to fifteen minutes. For use against plantlice dilute this with 15 to 20 parts of water.

Whale-oil soap, one pound to 6 gallons of water, is stated to kill readily, and is frequently employed as a spray against plantlice. If the kerosene or whale-oil soap injures the leaves add more water. Other soaps and soap powders have been used with good effects.

For spraying such flat-lying plants as melons and cucumbers, a short extension rod with the nozzle on the upturned end of an elbow is necessary in order to spray the under surface of the leaves where the aphids principally live. Some have found it more effective to have one person lift the vines while another did the spraying, than to use the upturned nozzle. Again, the vines could be turned over on the ground and sprayed, and turned back again when finished. The last two methods are not especially adapted for extensive work, but will be found useful in the home garden.

Useful Precautions.

When we know which plants are subject to infestation by aphids we may save ourselves trouble and disappointment in regard to the rotation and location of certain crops. It is evident for instance, that it may be unwise practice to plant cucumbers, melons, cantaloupes, or other crops likely to become infested by Aphis gossypii, near citrus trees. These latter may be harboring some of these aphids, and the result might be a rapid infestation of the crop.

Aphids live over on wild plants from season to season; it is, therefore, evident that much may be accomplished by a thorough cleaning up and burning-over of the ground immediately adjoining the field which is to be occupied by a crop subject to attack. While such a procedure might not altogether prevent the infestation, it would greatly delay it and reduce it in amount. The vegetation on the ground to be planted should be carefully plowed under, and any green stuff left uncovered should be removed and buried or burnt, to insure the destruction of all aphids.

should again be licensed in that county.

All the people of Florida rejoice at the restoration to perfect health of Hon. Frank Clark. There is not a man in the State more highly esteemed and beloved by his people, and it is fortunate for them that such a man has been delegated to look after their interests from the second Congressional district.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says: "Before the present Congress was a week old a Texas representative had introduced 128 bills, covering the greater part of the known fields of human activity and nearly everything a Congress might dare or do. Next thing we know, The Outlook may be port and vote of each and every citizen who is qualified. I can only

hundreds of thousands of telef paralized communication betwee point and another. The goveri seems to have shown a wise an moderation and its hands we suredly strengthened by the v confidence given it by Parliame

That the government has passed through so great a crisis dence of the growing stability French people. The Republic ha lasted for 39 years, a much period than any previous gover in a hundred years. The well kaleidoscopic frequency with revolutions and changes of g ment used to take place before t auguration of the present re made France somewhat of a lau stock. Happily for that natio the world those experiences a

faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of the office should I be elected. Respectfully,

CHAS. C. WARREN.

The Title Question ?

Are you of the number who are afraid that there is some defect in their titles, and with that for an excuse refuse to have an Abstract of Title? Send for our FREE booklet on "The Title Question." **None are so blind as they who will not see.** We have the information on YOUR title.

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ALACHUA COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.

Gainesville, Florida

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

To the Voters of the City of Gainesville:

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for City Tax Assessor for the year 1909. Having been Tax Assessor for four years, I am fully prepared to fill the office, as my record will show, the city assessment having been increased in that time from a little over $600,000 to over $1,000,000. I was prevented from running for this office last year on account of sickness, and now respectfully solicit your votes. W. M. BRADFORD.

To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of City Tax Assessor for the year 1909, in the election to be held on April the 13th, and most earnestly request you all to give me your vote and support for the position.

Thanking you for your past endorsement, I remain, Yours very truly,

B. R. COLSON.

THIS GREAT REMEDY IS RECOMMENDED FOR Acute and Chronic Diseases of the Kidney, Liver, Bladder or Urinary Organs and Acute, Chronic Rheumatism, Uric acid, lumbago or gout.

PREVENTS BRIGHT'S DISEASE

Dissolves and expels Gravel or Gall Stones. It heals and removes irritation, Inflammation, Ulceration or Catarrh of the Bladder.

TRADE-MARK

THE TEST THAT TELLS.

Dothan, Ala., Jan. 21, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: About one year ago two of my children suffered badly from weak kidneys and diabetes; their urine was very bad and they would have severe spells of dizziness, and were all run down in health. I was just about discouraged. I tried several remedies and finally a doctor, but they did not seem to improve. I knew of a friend who was taking Swamp-Root for kidney trouble with good results, and I decided to get some for the children. I noticed there was some improvement after they had taken two large bottles, and continued to give it to them until they had taken a half dozen bottles and were well on the road to recovery. I think Swamp-Root has done more for my children than any other medicine I have tried and I recommend it to one having children who sufferer as mine did.

R. W. LINSENBY,
City Clerk, Dothan, Ala.

A GEORGIA WOMAN.

Sparks, Ga., Jan. 11, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: Some time ago I was troubled with kidney trouble; had severe pains in back and hips. Was treated by a physician, but without any benefit. I noticed some Swamp-Root advertised and resolved to give it a trial. After taking four bottles I was completely cured. Have not suffered any pain at all since and can recommend Swamp-Root to anyone suffering from kidney trouble. Sincerely. MRS. E. V. STEVENS.

BAPTIST MINISTER.

Brinson, Ga., Jan. 20, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: Some time ago I suffered severely with pain in my back and hips. My back pained me continually and I felt miserable. A friend recommended Swamp-Root. I obtained and took the contents of two bottles when I felt relief. My back has not troubled me since and I can thoroughly recommend Swamp-Root to anyone suffering from kidney troubles, as I find it afforded me great relief.

Yours very truly,
REV. E. T. DAWSON.

RESULTS AFTER USING.

Boston, Ga., Jan. 13, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: Some time ago I was troubled with kidney trouble. I thought for some time I was suffering with diabetes. I had severe pains in my back and hips. A friend recommended Swamp-Root and I decided to give it a trial. I obtained a bottle from a druggist and after taking a few doses, felt relieved. After taking several bottles the pain was entirely gone and I have not suffered the slightest since. I cannot be too enthusiastic in my praise of this wonderful medicine and it gives me great pleasure to give my testimonial in regard to its merits.

J. B. ROUNTREE,
Former Mayor and Member Legislature.

We have sold Mr. Rountree Swamp-Root and have also sold it in a number of cases for kidney trouble and always with perfect satisfaction.

J. C. ADAMS & SON.

THE VALUE OF A REMEDY IS PROVEN BY ITS CURES.

Elkwood, Ala., Dec. 14, 1908.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: I have derived such great benefit from the use of your remedy Swamp-Root, that I believe it to be most important for the public to know its worth. For the past ten years I have been the most miserable of men. Did not know what the trouble was but had to urniate very frequently both day and night; was puffed up generally. Could not sleep more than a couple of hours at a time, was greatly distressed after eating a meal and was about worn out. I had tried nearly everything I could see advertised and hear of, without helping me to any great extent, until finally in October last at Ripan, Wis., I purchased a one-dollar bottle of Swamp-Root and commenced taking it according to directions and I followed that with another bottle and experienced such great relief and benefit from same that I purchased five dollars worth at Huntsville, Ala., and continued its use and am now taking it, but in smaller doses and twice a day in place of four times a day, and believe by the time present supply is used up I will be entirely well. I am feeling better now than for ten years past. Can eat and sleep first-class, in fact, I am feeling so good that I cannot resist telling you about it. You are at liberty to publish this testimonial should you wish. Very respectfully,

THOS. STALLARD, U. S. A., Retired,
Box 7, R. R. No. 2, Elkwood, Ala.

A CLERGYMAN.

New Roads, La., Jan. 22, 1909
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: I write today to the public that your Swamp-Root cured me of kidney trouble. I was almost past going; having spasmodic spells with my kidneys that were breaking down my constitution. The best medical aid was employed and they pronounced my trouble as alkali in the kidneys, but were unable to do me any permanent good.

I took four bottles of Swamp-Root and became a well man. This was six years ago and I have had no trace of the trouble. Yours for suffering men,

REV. J. R. TAYLOR,
Pastor Baptist Church, New Roads, La.

MAIL CARRIER'S EXPERIENCE.

Blountsville, Tenn.

I have been a rural letter carrier for over five years. Some two years ago was taken with severe pains in my back. I used medicine from my family physician for several months without any benefit. A friend, Mr. J. D. Nelson, advised me to try your Swamp-Root, but I had no faith in it. I continued to grow worse and at last decided to try this remedy and bought of Long Bros. a fifty-cent bottle which gave me great relief. I then bought two one-dollar bottles, which I can truthfully say have completely cured me.

Had it not been for Swamp-Root, I would have been compelled to quit the rural free delivery service.

I advise all mail carriers who get pains in their back that Swamp-Root will cure them.

I was so bad that very often my wife would have to help me to arise.

M. B. HENDRICKSON,
Rural Letter Carrier, Route No. 2.

A CONTRACTOR.

Donalsonville, Ga., Jan. 20, 1909
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: About four years ago I suffered from kidney trouble and rheumatism in my hips. The pain across my back became so severe that I could hardly straighten up and could not walk without dragging my feet. I would urinate frequently and would have to rise two or three times during the night, causing me to suffer from loss of sleep. And with the pain I was all run down and began to lose flesh. I saw Swamp-Root advertised and bought one bottle to try it. After taking it I felt better and could sleep all right at night. I continued to take it until I had taken four large bottles. I was entirely free from any pain in the back and began to gain in weight. I always recommend Swamp-Root to my friends as I think the cure in my case remarkable.

Yours very truly,
M. H. HICKSON,
Donalsonville, Ga.

DR. KILMER

Dr. Kilmer's likeness is on the outside wrapper of every bottle.

BENEFICIAL IN SEVERE CASES.

Edgefield, Tenn.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Gentlemen: I hardly know how to express my appreciation for the good your Swamp-Root has done me. I had been greatly troubled with my kidneys, and with pain in the back; also with what the doctors termed inflammation of the neck of the bladder. Sometimes my back would get in such shape that I was almost helpless. I had tried several doctors and medicines to no good effect, and finally I noticed in some paper where Dr. Kilmer proposed to send a sample bottle of his kidney medicine, Swamp-Root, free by mail. I sent at once and received promptly a sample bottle. After taking it I found it did me good. I then purchased two bottles from our merchant, Mr. W. J. Elizer. After taking the medicine I felt like a new man, and each day rode five miles to teach school. You are at liberty to use this letter, or refer anyone to me, as I will always be glad to tell them what a wonderful remedy this Swamp-Root is. Mr. James Ivens, of Saundersville, Tenn., is taking it with good results. Very truly yours,

D. A. MONTGOMERY,
Member Tennessee Legislature.
Rural Route No. 24, Edgefield, Tenn.

RESULTS IT HAS PROVED.

Dothan, Ala., Jan. 21, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: Have been suffering more or less from kidney trouble for the last five years and was induced to try your Swamp-Root. Am happy to say, or give you testimonial, that it has cured me. I as a traveling salesman for Messrs. Colgate & Co., New York, and am always traveling on the road. Drinking the different waters affected my kidneys.

Yours respectfully,
SAMUEL WOLF.

A PROMINENT MASON.

Jackson, Tenn.

According to my experience, I do not consider there is anything to equal Swamp-Root for kidney affection.

Twice it relieved me when I was completely helpless.

The last time I was traveling in Texas, when my kidneys become affected, and for ten days I suffered excruciating pains, accompanied with severe chills. Several years previous, having been relieved of a similar attack, I naturally sought relief as before from Swamp-Root.

After using four of the large-size bottles, I was completely restored and went on my way rejoicing and praising Swamp-Root. This was three years ago and I have had no indication of a return of the affliction.

J. C. SMITH, Jr.,
Thirty-third degree Mason.

FULLY SATISFIED.

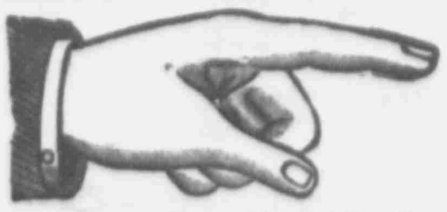
Waycross, Ga., Jan. 5, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Dear Sirs: During last October I suffered from my kidneys.

I consulted my physician, who prescribed for me, but his treatment did not benefit me. After reading some Swamp-Root literature, I decided to give it a trial. After taking a few doses, I felt somewhat relieved, and after two one-dollar bottles had been taken, I had no pain and was completely cured. I have not had the slightest pain in my back or hips since. From my own experience, I can cheerfully recommend Swamp-Root to anyone suffering from kidney trouble.

Yours very truly,
SIMON MARTIN.

Mr. Martin conducts a carting and transfer business.



Every mail brings unsolicited testimonials from people from all over the United States and foreign lands, expressing heartfelt gratitude for what Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root has done for them.

Do not let anyone sell you some other medicine to take the place of Swamp-Root—if you do you will be disappointed—insist on getting what you ask for—there is no other medicine as good as Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

IF YOU NEED A MEDICINE YOU SHOULD HAVE THE BEST

Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble or obliged to go often during the day and get up many times during the night, have smarting or irritation in passing or heart disturbance due to kidney trouble, Swamp-Root will be found just the remedy you need.

Don't Be Misled—For example, when you ask for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, don't allow any druggist, drug clerk or store keeper to persuade you into buying something else in its place. Every time he succeeds in selling you a worthless substitute he makes more profit, but you are humbugged at the expense of your health.

NOTE—Every reader of The Sun who has not tried Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, may address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and receive a sample bottle free by mail.

At all dealers' in 50c and $1.00 sizes.

A Sworn Certificate of Purity With Every Bottle--See Inside Wrapper

Parties having job printing done at The Sun office are entitled to one vote in the Bush & Safford Piano Contest for each cent paid for such work. Don't forget this when in need of printed stationery. Read the advertisement giving particulars regarding the contest and vote for the lady of your choice.

Isn't there something which only a want ad. can do for you today?

If its worth more to someone else than to you—no matter what it is—a want ad. will be a good investment.

As advertising finds the best market for everything else, why not for your personal services?

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

What is a "Trades Extravaganza?"

Get a meal ticket at Rutherford's Restaurant.

Joe Beach of Trenton is here attending court.

Julius Thomas of Alachua was in the city Monday.

Langshans eggs for hatching $1 for 15. C. J. Mixson, City.

W. C. Hague, deputy sheriff of Alachua, is in the city.

Special attention paid to ladies' trade at Rutherford's Restaurant.

C. R. Copeland has gone to Georgia, where he will remain for the next few days.

W. W. and B. R. Colson left yesterday for a short business trip to Trenton.

Chas. Slaughter of Micanopy and Williston was a visitor to the city yesterday.

H. W. Bruce returned yesterday to South Florida, where he holds a position with a leading phosphate firm.

Miss Julia King of Waldo is among the visitors to the city and while here is the guest of Miss Annie Ellis.

R. W. Clark of Alachua, a farmer of that enterprising section, was greeting his numerous friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. S. G. Gay has returned to her home at Trenton after a short business visit here to her brothers, the Messrs. Colson.

Geo. R. Ellis left yesterday for Trenton, where he will be absent for the next several days on business connected with his company.

Chas. R. Carter, the accommodating conductor of the High Springs-Citra run, has again resumed his duties after an absence of about ten days.

Dr. Geo. H. Gorham, State Senator of Zellwood Falls, Vt., is among the prominent visitors now in the city. He has been here for the past several days and is delighted with this section of the State. He will leave today for St. Augustine.

What is a "Trades Extravaganza?"

Cedar Key oysters, day and night, at Rutherford's Restaurant.

Subscribe for The Sun and vote for your choice in the piano contest.

Good gentle horse and nice rubber-tired buggy for sale. Apply to J. Manasse.

Bart Corley, one of the employees of The Star force of Ocala, was a visitor to Gainesville Sunday.

Plank's Chill Tonic is guaranteed to cure chills, fever, colds and lagrippe. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

J. L. Matthews of Bland, an extensive farmer and merchant of that section, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

Col. Henry S. Chubb, the genial register of the U. S. land office, has returned from an official visit to Pensacola.

Blue Ribbon Vanilla Extract never varies from the high standard of excellence. It's the best that money and experience can produce.

If I were you, I would do as I and partake of one of those excellently prepared dinners cooked in German style at the Brown House.

The editor of this paper is indebted to his old friend, W. B. Ellis of Cedar Key, for a fine red snapper which was expressed him on Saturday.

Dr. Sarah L. Robb, who has been absent for the past two weeks in Chicago, has returned to her home and professional duties in this city.

J. K. Tuten of Archer, one of the enterprising merchants of that place, is among the visitors to Gainesville, having been summoned here to attend court.

A. M. Cushman, the insurance agent, advises you along the line of "penny wise and pound foolish" in his new advertisement which appears in these columns.

Mrs. J. F. Edwards of Ocala, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Stringfellow, for the past two weeks, returned to her home in the Brick City Sunday.

Have several pianos for sale at bargain prices—among them an "Estey" Upright in a black ebony case. Before you buy a piano get my prices. W. L. Hill.

W. R. Steckert has returned from a business trip of several days to Jacksonville, where he has been in the interest of the Cummer Lumber Company, whom he represents.

Mrs. Percy Vyle of Jacksonville returned to her home yesterday. She has been visiting the family of her uncle, E. E. Voyle, for the past few days and was pleased with her trip.

T. G. Hagan, who has been attending court here for the past few days, returned to his home yesterday. Before his departure he joined the large list of readers of The Sun.

W. M. Burch, deputy sheriff of Tacoma, is among the visitors to the city attending court. He has just returned from a visit of several weeks to the southern part of the State.

J. M. Hillman, a prominent business man of Anthony, was among the visitors to the city yesterday on business connected with the U. S. land office. He was accompanied by his two sons, James and Alexander.

The study circle in connection with the Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Padgett this (Tuesday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

J. C. Edenton, a wholesale grocer of Jackson, Tenn., is among the prominent visitors to the city. He has been visiting Gainesville for the past five seasons, with the exception of last year, and notes quite a change in the city. He is accompanied on the trip by Dr. H. C. Irby and wife of the same city, and they are delighted with this section of the State.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. Relieves painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, swollen, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N.Y.

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Self-Cleaning, Self-Sharpening Steel Cutters.

WHAT IT CHOPS:

Raw Meat
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Cheese and Nuts
Ham it chops
Coarse or fine.

No mashing or squeezing

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Let Us Keep Your Books for You

Deposit your money with us and pay your bills by check. It will save you trouble and your paid check is your receipt.

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THE STORE OF QUALITY

The best that can be had for the prices asked—The season's best offerings can be had here and at prices as low as can be found in any store—Buy at WILSON'S and be pleased.

"CADET" Stockings for the Family

Every pair sold under positive guarantee—**25c pair.**

Ladies' Pure Silk Hose

Black, colors—beautiful quality—**$1.25 pr**

——W. B. CORSETS——

In all the new models—A style for every figure

$1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00

——WASH GOODS——

White and colored fabrics of every wanted kind. Beautiful Imported Batistes in pattern lengths—**$5.00 to $16.50.**

KILLARNEY LINEN—Best Linen imitation on market. **Can be had only at Wilson's—15c**

No Better Lace or Embroidery

Values to be found in any store. Beautiful Flouncings and Bands to match.

Baby Sets that are exquisite.

Val., Torchon and Irish Crochet Laces

New Wash Suits and Dresses

A few coming each day but individual styles.

The prices are right, the materials the best. Comparison is the test. We invite it.

NEW SHIRTWAISTS

——59c to $3.00——

Good values and good styles.

All new goods.

HYDE'S OLD CORNER

R. WILSON

Phone 109

What is a "Trades Extravaganza?"

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

W. M. Blitch of Santa Fe is among the visitors to the city. While here he is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Rivers.

Ed Carmichael of Ocala is among the visitors to the city. He has a large number of friends here who are always glad to welcome him.

Miss Mae Kirby has returned from a visit of several weeks to Graham, where she visited friends and relatives. She reports a delightful trip.

"Have you seen the Monarch?" is the title of the new advertisement of the Monarch Typewriter Company which appears elsewhere in this issue.

Five-room cottage to rent on block adjoining square, formerly occupied by W. L. LeGrande; city water, electric lights, sewerage, bath, and all modern conveniences. Apply to Mrs. H. H. McCreary or Sun office.

The many friends of Miss Mary Wilcox will be pained to learn that she is now suffering from appendicitis at the home of Mrs. John Pearson of Ocala. It has been only a short while since she visited friends here.

F. N. Hale of Cedar Key, member of the firm of Parsons & Hale, was transacting business in the city yesterday. This is one of the oldest firms in Florida and at one time did a tremendous business throughout this section of the State.

Dr. Geo. S. Waldo left yesterday for Jacksonville, where he will be absent for the next several days. He goes to make arrangements for another dental office, which will be placed in charge of his brother, Dr. W. H. Waldo, and owned jointly by them.

W. J. Lock, the postmaster of Wilcox, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He is the gentleman that became involved with Hinson, the expressman, and is carrying his arm in a sling as a result of the difficulty, besides his car was injured in the difficulty. He disliked to say anything further regarding the occurrence, but would tell the true story later, provided the man is brought here for trial.

For COLDS and GRIP.

Hicks' CAPUDINE is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c, 25c and 50c at drug stores.

..WANTS..

5c PER LINE

WANTED—BOARD.

WANTED, by one or two young men, board and room in private family; best of references given. Address, stating price, A. B. C., care Sun office.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage. Apply 200 E. Liberty street.

FOR RENT—One six-room and two five-room cottages in South Gainesville, in front of Coffin Factory; city water. Apply at Coffin Factory.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage on block next to square; city water, electric lights, bath room and all modern conveniences. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Pair of good mules and wagon. Apply to Jeff Simon, in front of Dutton's Bank.

The awake person reads the want ads. every day—and answers some almost as often.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Three acres of land opposite University, fronting 198 feet on West Liberty and 660 feet deep. A rare bargain. One house and lot on North Garden street, city water and sewerage. One house and lot in North Gainesville. Five houses and lots in East Gainesville. Two houses on North University street. Terms can be arranged to suit purchaser and all are bargains. Apply to M. B. Saunders.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—Young printer of ordinary experience, who desires to better learn trade, to act as galley boy, set heads, distribute and set type occasionally, and do general work as assistant to foreman. Must be steady and of good habits. Apply at this office.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

HOFFMAN, the celebrated German coach stallion, will make this season at Crawford & Davis' stables. Terms reduced—$10 service fee, cash in advance.

MEDICAL.

QUICK RESTORATIVE for lost manhood. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded; 50c per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

The Sun office for calling cards.

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